

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 68
By Kernell

A RESOLUTION to propose an amendment to Article II, Section 18, of the Constitution of Tennessee, relative to the General Assembly.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that a majority of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that Article II, Section 18, of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by adding the following new language:

No bill to raise the rate of sales tax shall become law unless, on the third and final consideration, it has received the assent of two-thirds (2/3) of all the members elected to the House of Representatives and two-thirds (2/3) of all the members elected to the Senate, or in two consecutive general assemblies it has received the assent of a constitutional majority of all the members elected to the House of Representatives and a constitutional majority of all the members elected to the Senate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the foregoing amendment be referred to the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly, and that this resolution proposing such amendment be timely published by the Secretary of State in accordance with the Constitution of Tennessee, Article XI, Section 3.

